# The United States of America

## Interim Conveyance

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This interim conveyance is issued by the UNITED STATES, Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management, 222 West Seventh Avenue, #13, Anchorage, Alaska 99513-7504, as GRANTOR, to Kuukpik Corporation, P.O. Box 89187, Nuiqsut, Alaska 99789, as GRANTEE, for lands in the Barrow Recording District.

#### **WHEREAS**

## Kuukpik Corporation

is entitled to a conveyance pursuant to Secs. 14(a) and 22(j) of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act of December 18, 1971, as amended, 43 U.S.C. §§ 1613(a), 1621(j), of the surface estate in the following-described lands:

Section 12(a) Lands

Umiat Meridian, Alaska

T. 11 N., R. 2 E., Secs. 24, 25, and 26; Secs. 34, 35, and 36.

Containing approximately 3,545 acres.

T. 11 N., R. 3 E., Secs. 7, 11, 13, and 18; Secs. 19, 24, and 25.

Containing approximately 3,616 acres.

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T. 11 N., R. 4 E., Secs. 19, 20, and 30.

Containing approximately 1,376 acres.

Aggregating approximately 8,537 acres.

Section 12(b) Lands

Umiat Meridian, Alaska

T. 10 N., R. 2 E., Secs. 1, 2, and 3; Secs. 5 to 10, inclusive; Secs. 16, 17, and 18; Secs. 20, 21, and 29.

Containing approximately 8,751 acres.

Total aggregate is approximately 17,288 acres.

NOW KNOW YE, that there is, therefore, granted by the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, unto the above-named corporation the surface estate in the lands above described; TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said estate with all the rights, privileges, immunities, and appurtenances, of whatsoever nature, thereunto belonging, unto the said corporation, its successors and assigns, forever.

EXCEPTING AND RESERVING TO THE UNITED STATES from the lands so granted:

- 1. The subsurface estate therein, and all rights, privileges, immunities, and appurtenances, of whatsoever nature, accruing unto said estate pursuant to the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act of December 18, 1971, 43 U.S.C. 1613(f); and
- 2. Pursuant to Sec. 17(b) of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act of December 18, 1971, 43 U.S.C. 1616(b) (1976), and the administrative record, including easement memoranda, the following public easements, referenced by Easement Identification Number (EIN) on the easement maps, copies of which can be found in the Bureau of Land Management's public land records, are reserved to the United States. These easements are subject to applicable Federal, State, or municipal corporation regulation. The following is a listing of uses

allowed for the easements. Any uses which are not specifically listed are prohibited.

<u>25 Foot Trail</u> - The uses allowed on a twenty-five (25) foot wide trail easement are: travel by foot, dogsleds, animals, snowmobiles, two- and three-wheeled vehicles, and small all-terrain vehicles (ATV's) (less than 3,000 lbs. Gross Vehicle Weight (GVW)).

<u>50 Foot Trail</u> - The uses allowed on a fifty (50) foot wide trail easement are: travel by foot, dogsleds, animals, snowmobiles, two- and three-wheeled vehicles, small and large all-terrain vehicles (ATV's), tracked vehicles, and four-wheel-drive vehicles.

- a. (EIN 12a C5) An easement fifty (50) feet in width for an existing access trail from Sec. 7, T. 10 N., R. 3 E., Umiat Meridian, westerly, then northerly to site easements EIN 12b C5 and EIN 12c C5, then southwesterly to public land in Sec. 24, T. 10 N., R. 1 E., Umiat Meridian. The uses allowed are those listed above for a fifty (50) foot wide trail easement for use in connection with site easements EIN 12b C5 and EIN 12c C5. Use is limited to the federal government, its contractors, partners and assignees. The season of use is limited to winter.
- b. (EIN 12b C5) A twenty-five (25) foot square (twenty-five feet on each side), centered on an existing automated, federally owned and operated weather-gathering and transmitting station located at approximate North Latitude 70.25545, West Longitude 151.57627 which appears to be located in Sec. 2, T. 10 N., R. 2 E., Umiat Meridian. Upon completion and recording of a survey of the actual location of such existing weather-gathering and transmitting station by a State of Alaska-licensed surveyor, the location of such easement shall be fixed at the site so identified. The uses allowed are operation, maintenance, and removal of such scientific equipment. Use is limited to the federal government, its contractors, partners, and assignees. Access to the site is limited to winter.
- c. (EIN 12c C5) A twenty-five (25) foot square (twenty-five feet on each side), centered on an existing automated, federally owned and operated weather-gathering and transmitting station located at approximate North Latitude 70.25587, West Longitude 151.57927 which appears to be located in Sec. 2, T. 10 N., R. 2 E., Umiat Meridian. Upon completion and recording of a survey of the actual location of such existing weather-gathering and transmitting station by a State of Alaska-licensed surveyor, the location of such easement shall be fixed at the site so identified. The uses allowed are operation, maintenance, and removal of such scientific

- equipment. Use is limited to the federal government, its contractors, partners, and assignees. Access to the site is limited to winter.
- d. (EIN 13 C5) An easement twenty-five (25) feet in width for a proposed access trail from Sec. 12, T. 11 N., R. 2 E., Umiat Meridian, southeasterly to public lands. The uses allowed are those listed above for a twenty-five (25) foot wide trail easement. The season of use is limited to winter.

#### THE GRANT OF THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED LANDS IS SUBJECT TO:

- 1. Issuance of a patent after approval and filing by the Bureau of Land Management of the official plat of survey and supplemental plat of survey confirming the boundary description and acreage of the lands hereinabove granted;
- Valid existing rights therein, if any, including but not limited to those created by any lease, contract, permit, right-of-way, or easement, and the right of the lessee, contractee, permittee, or grantee to the complete enjoyment of all rights, privileges, and benefits thereby granted to him. Further, pursuant to Sec. 17(b) of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act of December 18, 1971 (ANCSA), 43 U.S.C. 1616(b)(2) (1976), any valid existing right recognized by ANCSA shall continue to have whatever right of access as is now provided for under existing law;
- 3. The terms and conditions of the following oil and gas leases, authorized by the Naval Petroleum Reserves Production Act of 1976, 43 U.S.C. 6501 et seq., as amended:
  - a. AA-81742, located in:
    - T. 11 N., R. 3 E., Umiat Meridian, Alaska Sec. 18.
  - b. AA-81800, located in:
    - T. 10 N., R. 2 E., Umiat Meridian, Alaska Secs. 20, 21, and 29.
  - c. AA-81801, located in:
    - T. 10 N., R. 2 E., Umiat Meridian, Alaska Secs. 1, 2, 3, and 10.

- d. AA-81802, located in:
  - T. 10 N., R. 2 E., Umiat Meridian, Alaska Secs. 5 to 9, inclusive; Secs. 16, 17, and 18.
- e. AA-81817, located in:
  - T. 11 N., R. 3 E., Umiat Meridian, Alaska Secs. 24 and 25.
  - T. 11 N., R. 4 E., Umiat Meridian, Alaska Secs. 19, 20, and 30.
- f. AA-81818, located in:
  - T. 11 N., R. 3 E., Umiat Meridian, Alaska Sec. 19.
- g. AA-81819, located in:
  - T. 11 N., R. 2 E., Umiat Meridian, Alaska Secs. 24, 25, and 26; Secs. 34, 35, and 36.
- h. AA-87888, located in:
  - T. 11 N., R. 3 E., Umiat Meridian, Alaska Secs. 11 and 13.
- 4. The terms and conditions of the Unit Agreement for the Exploration,
  Development and Operations of the Greater Mooses Tooth Unit Area dated
  January 28, 2008, between ConocoPhillips Alaska, Inc., Anadarko Petroleum
  Corp., and Arctic Slope Regional Corporation, and approved by the Bureau of
  Land Management on January 30, 2008. A copy of the agreement can be found in
  the Bureau of Land Management case file AA-87852;
- 5. A right-of-way, F-92931, for an overland/travel program, granted to ConocoPhillips Alaska, Inc. pursuant to the Naval Petroleum Reserves Production Act of 1976, Public Law 94-258, 90 Stat. 303, expiring on December 31, 2012, and located in:

## Umiat Meridian, Alaska

T. 10 N, R. 2 E., Secs. 1, 2, 3, and 5; Secs. 7 to 10, inclusive; Secs. 16, 17, and 18; Secs. 20, 21, and 29.

T. 11 N., R. 2 E., Secs. 25, 26, and 34; Secs. 35 and 36.

T. 11 N., R. 4 E., Secs. 19 and 30.

6. Requirements of Sec. 14(c) of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act of December 18, 1971, 43 U.S.C. 1613(c), as amended, that the grantee hereunder convey those portions, if any, of the lands hereinabove granted, as are prescribed in said section.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned authorized officer of the Bureau of Land Management has, in the name of the United States, set his hand and caused the seal of the Bureau to be hereunto affixed on this 25<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2010, in Anchorage, Alaska.

### UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

/a/ Robert L. Lloyd

Robert L. Lloyd Chief, Land Transfer Adjudication I Branch

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